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Big Stone Gap, Va.****APPALACHIA NEWS**

Appalachia, Dec. 18.—The Young Girls' Sewing Club of the Presbyterian church met at the home of Miss Meece Sullivan on Saturday evening from two to five o'clock. The feature of the evening was a guessing contest which was won by Miss Ruth Guntner, she having guessed the nearest to the correct number of beans contained in a glass jar.

Delicious refreshments were served consisting of hot chocolate, sandwiches, pickles and olives.

Those present were: Misses Al-column Everett, Ruth and Rebecca Guntner, Gladys Mathis, Bonnie Campbell, Maggie Olinger, Elizabeth and Mary Sullivan, Ruth Robinson, Mrs. Ingles, Mrs. Bettie Robinson and Mrs. Harry Sullivan.

Mrs. Harold Tillery, of Birmingham, Ala., has arrived in the city to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Peake.

Mrs. W. N. Breeding had as her dinner guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Collier, Misses Nadyne Collier, Miss Katye Carter and Mr. A. S. Pennington.

Mrs. Harry R. Smith returned Sunday night from Roanoke, where she has been visiting her aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Willard Large had as their dinner guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Russell and Miss Nannette Gibson, of Jonesville.

Mrs. James W. Taylor left Tuesday for Mt. Vernon, Ohio, to spend Christmas with her mother.

Alfred V. Saltzer, of New York, arrived in the city Tuesday to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Saltzer.

Miss Birdie Morton, of Knoxville, Tenn., is visiting her sister here, Mrs. M. E. King.

Dr. R. W. Holley is spending this week in Oklahoma looking after his interest in the oil fields.

Appalachia Lodge No. 229, A. F. and A. M., held a called meeting Friday night for work in the second degree.

Walter Harper, staff correspondent of the Knoxville Sentinel, was a business visitor here Thursday.

Thomas A. Bush, of Richmond, special agent for the American Alliance Insurance Co., of New York, was a visitor here Thursday.

The Ladies Missionary Society of the Methodist church held their Christmas bazaar at the store of M. D. Collier on Friday.

The Sunday School of the Methodist church is preparing to give an entertainment at the church on Saturday evening, December 23. A splendid program is being prepared and "Santa Claus" will be there to greet the children and give them something for Christmas.

The Virginia Coal Operators' Association will be given a banquet at the Hotel Norton on Thursday, December 21.

The monthly meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church was held at the home of Mrs. Ike Richmond on Wednesday evening from 3 to 5 o'clock. At the close of the business session dainty refreshments were served.

E. F. Carter returned from Cincinnati and Louisville Wednesday, where he spent several days on business.

G. E. Knight and wife, of Gibson Station, were visitors here Sunday. Miss Nannette Gibson, of Jonesville, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Fred Russell, on King Street.

The Henry N. Tate Post No. 70 of the American Legion will give their Christmas dance on Wednesday night, December 20, on the fourth floor of the Appalachia hardware building.

The All Star Entertainers of New York City, have been secured to furnish the music. The dances given by this post become more and more popular and the legion boys will spend every effort to make this one a very delightful occasion to all who attend. Dancing will be nine to two. Refreshments will be served.

"With But a Single Thought"**SAYS SOUTHWEST
VIRGINIA FAVORS
ROAD BOND ISSUE**

Richmond, Va., Dec. 15.—Former State Senator Roland E. Chase, of Dickinson county, who was here recently on legal business, declared that southwest Virginia is enthusiastically for the proposed state bond issue for good roads. He said that no part of Virginia of equal size had expended anything like as much as the seven counties of Lee, Scott, Wise, Dickenson, Buchanan, Russell and Tazewell. These counties have issued bonds and spent more than \$5,000,000 on their roads in the last few years, and are recognized as the real "good roads" counties of the state.

Mr. Chase said that Dickinson county has just issued \$400,000 in county bonds, loaning the money to the state under the Robertson act.

Nobody wants to hear of your troubles. They would rather tell you their own.

**MODERN ATLAS
BENDS 20-PENNY
NAILS IN HANDS**

Wheeling, Dec. 15.—Jonathan Paul, special Federal prohibition agent, who has figured prominently in 50 dry raids made by the prohibition department in this locality in the past few months, is a modern Atlas, having unusual strength in his arms and hands.

A few days ago he gave a demonstration of his strength to those employed in the offices of the prohibition department, when he bent two 20-penny spikes with his hands with apparent ease.

An old darkey got up in meeting and said, "Brothers and sisters: Yo'all know, an' I know, that I ain't been what I oughter been. I've robbed hen-roosts an' stole hogs an' stole lies an' got drunk an' slashed folks with mah razah. But I thank the Lawd there's one thing I ain't never don—I ain't lost mah religion." —Storagram.

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No. 20, A. F. & A. M.

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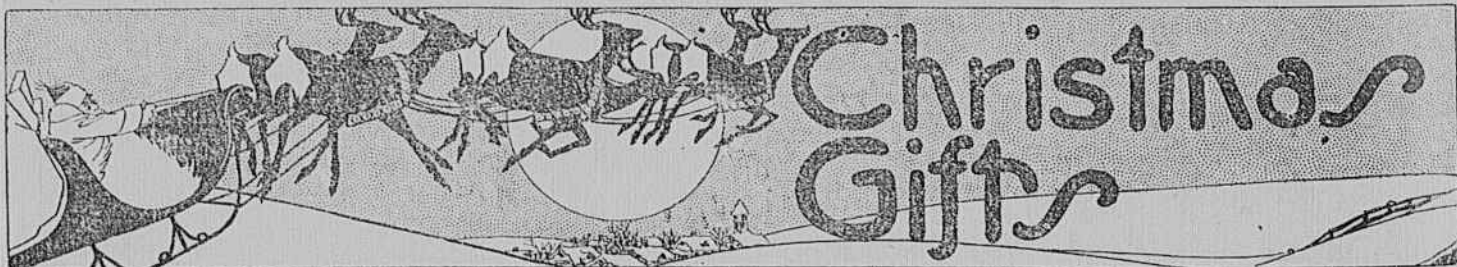
JOHN RAY, W. M.
J. H. MATHEWS, Sec'y

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No. 19, R. A. M.

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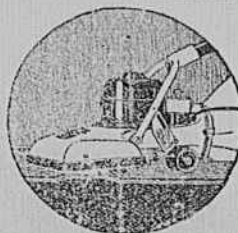


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